

COUNTY MAY ISSUE SECOND CALL FOR DRAFTED MEN

SIXTY MEN FAILED TO MAKE APPEARANCE

75 Percent, It is Estimated, Busy in Making Out Their Claims for Exemption from Service

County's Quota is 233 Men, Many Aliens in the List, 466 Men Were Summoned for Examination

Drs. Water Courtney and John A. Evert have not yet given out a statement as to the number of men accepted for service in Crow Wing county.

The county's quota is 233 and the local board summoned for examination 466 men. Of this number 60 failed to report, said Sheriff Claus A. Theorin.

At least 75 percent are busy making exemption papers.

About 466 men were summoned and deducting 60 who failed to appear, leaves 400. From this take 75 per cent or 300 and leaves 100 if all exemption claims that merit. Of the hundred some may be aliens. All of which makes it appear that another call may be issued by the local board to enable the county to get its quota of 233 men. Of course, all these are approximate figures, as no exact statement can be ascertained.

Representatives of the four federal exemption appeal boards in Minnesota met at the capitol to effect coordination and uniformity of rulings between the different boards and decided there is no such thing as permanent industrial or agricultural exemption from the draft army, and in fact, there is no such thing as a permanent exemption except for physical disability.

The local board is now making daily reports to headquarters at St. Paul.

BOHEMIA FIRM FOR FREEDOM

Demands Country Be Made Absolutely Independent.

New York, Aug. 10.—A special cablegram to the Slav Press bureau from Paris says that Charles Prasek, a former member of the Austrian ministry and one of the leaders of the Czech Agrarian party, publishes in the Prague Daily Vekov a sensational article in which he declares that any compromise on the part of the Czechs with Austria will be treason to the Czech cause; that the Czechs will not abate one iota from their program, which demands an absolutely independent Bohemia state with Slovakia.

Six French Ships Sunk.

Paris, Aug. 10.—The weekly official report of French shipping losses shows that four vessels of 1,600 tons or more were sunk and two vessels of less than that tonnage. Six merchantmen were attacked unsuccessfully by submarines.

Paper Coffins in Germany.

Amsterdam, Aug. 10.—Coffins of waterproof cardboard are now being made in Germany, according to the Tagessche Rundschau of Berlin. The lids are glued instead of being nailed down.

EIGHT THOUSAND GERMAN MINERS ASK PEACE.

Amsterdam, Aug. 10.—Eight thousand miners attended a recent mass meeting at Essen, Germany, for the discussion of coal production, food and wages.

The miners declared in favor of the reichstag majority peace resolution and demanded that the reichstag pursue its decision in the interests of humanity.

Governors See Trench Battle at the Fort

(By United Press)
St. Paul, August 10.—Governors Harding of Iowa, Norbeck of South Dakota and Frazier of North Dakota are here for the purpose of closing the reserve officers training camp at Fort Snelling. They witnessed a trench battle at the Fort.

Hogs go Higher Now Selling 17 Cents per Pound

(By United Press)
East St. Louis, August 10.—Pork is now selling for 17 cents per pound, the new high mark made in the sale of that commodity.

Tender Loin District Raided by Department for Vice Suppression

(By United Press)
Philadelphia, August 10.—The long threatened vice suppression campaign of the federal authorities began early today with a raid by the agents of the department of justice in the tenderloin district. Secretary of the Navy Daniels has been urging the city to clean up the place as a measure of protection to the blue jackets, but without avail.

Smuggle Rubber and Platinum to Germany Plot is Discovered

(By United Press)
New York, August 10.—Nine men have been arrested and it is believed a gigantic plot has been uncovered to smuggle rubber and platinum into Germany, the sailors on the Belgian relief ship having rubber wrapped around their bodies, and a supply of rubber was found in the home of one.

BOARD WILL ADJUST WAR PLANT DISPUTES

Washington, Aug. 10.—Creation of a labor adjustment commission to have final jurisdiction during the war over labor disputes in plants having contracts with the government has been determined on by the Council of National Defense.

It is proposed to give the commission full powers by awarding contracts only to those who will agree to abide by its findings and require pledges of their employees to do so.

Members of the commission have not yet been selected. There will be nine of them, three representing the government, three representing employers and three representing labor.

SIR ARTHUR CURRIE.

New Commander of Canadians in France.



Photo by American Press Association.

The new commander of the Canadians in France has won his way by hard fighting. He succeeds General Sir Julian Byng and is the first Canadian to command the contingent.

Limits Passports to Russia to Block German Agents

(By United Press)
Washington, August 10.—The state department has started the limiting of passports to Russia in order to block the German agents going there from New York.

Wilson Signs Food Control

(By United Press)
Washington, August 10.—President Wilson signed the food control bill making it a law.

Roosevelt Denounces Men as Cooperheads Asks Deportation

(By United Press)
New York, August 10.—Denouncing some senators, congressmen and semi-newspaper editors as standing where the copperheads stood during the civil war Theodore Roosevelt in a statement to the United Press demanded the suppression of the German language, the deportation of 50 Americans and called upon every person to exert every ounce of energy they have to win the war.

Strike at Cantonment Camps been Settled

(By United Press)
New York, August 10.—The carpenters' strike at four of the army cantonment camps has been settled at a conference. The trouble had threatened to spread to all the army cantonment.

British Labor be Represented Socialist Meet

(By United Press)
London, August 10.—British labor has decided to be represented at the international Stockholm socialist conference in September.

War Compensation and Indemnity Bill Introduced Today

(By United Press)
Washington, August 10.—Bearing the stamp of approval of President Wilson and the plea of Secretary McAdoo that it be made a law in justice to the fighting men of America and their families the long expected war compensation indemnity and insurance bill was introduced into both houses of congress.

Cannot Take all Profit Out of War View of British

(By United Press)
London, August 10.—All the profit cannot be taken out of the war without disaster to the normal business structure is the view of the British government, but that profit can be commandeered for the use of state, and the government is doing this. The present fiscal year will show one billion dollars commandeered by financial authority, an eminent authority tells the United Press. Based on an 80 per cent excess profits tax business is showing no signs of discouragement.

Ask Additional Bond Issue this Session Congress

(By United Press)
Washington, August 10.—Secretary McAdoo will ask an additional bond issue at this session of congress, the issue to run into the billions it is said, following a conference at the capitol.

Frost Report

(By United Press)
St. Paul, August 10.—Dickinson, North Dakota, reported a frost in that section this morning.

Fire Hose Turned on Sweltering Children



So desperate did the children of the thickly populated east side of New York City become during the hot weather that they begged firemen of nearby engine houses to turn the water on them, and it was done in many places. This photograph shows hundreds of them playing in the welcome streams.

CHARLES E. RUSSELL.

Favors Sending American Troops to Eastern Front.



Photo by American Press Association.

Coal Miners go on Strike in Illinois

(By United Press)
Chicago, August 10.—21 Illinois coal mines will be closed today as a result of a strike of 9,000 miners according to the announcement of a representative of the Illinois Coal Miners Association. The mines affected have put out 100,000 tons a day.

Conspiracy to Corner Tomato Output of Coast

(By United Press)
Washington, August 10.—Evidence pointing to a conspiracy to corner the tomato output of the Pacific coast by the large packers of the country was today placed in the hands of the federal trade commission.

CHAUTAUQUA DRAWS WELL FIRST DAY

The Marylands Give a Concert that Fairly Scintillated with Radiant, Rhythmic Melody

Judge Manford Schoonover Gave an Address in Evening which Fairly Warmed the Cockles of Your Heart

Bombardment Over Front Five Miles Followed Attack

(By United Press)
Paris, Aug. 10.—Germany launched repeated attacks against the French at the famous Vonkluck corner north of Soissons, the bend in the battle line nearest Paris, a terrific bombardment over a front of five miles followed by Infantry assaults. The French killed or captured all the Germans who succeeded in reaching their trenches, all positions being held despite the heavy attacks.

Renewed Advance British Forces in Flanders

(By United Press)
London, August 10.—Renewed advances by the British forces in Flanders is reported by Gen. Haig, and also tells of the completion of the capture of West Poek.

Capture 1,400 Russ in 2 Days

(By United Press)
Berlin, August 10.—The capture of 1,400 Russians in two days in the Ortiz sector is reported.

Germans Attack French Progress

(By United Press)
Paris, August 10.—Germans make violent attacks from Pantheo to Chevigny while the French are making continued progress in Belgium, it is reported.

Expert Registrar Dies in St. Paul

(By United Press)
St. Paul, August 10.—M. W. Fitzgerald, county register of deeds is dead here. He was the expert to Rensland Title registration system and drafted the Minnesota law.

ENDS LIFE BY DROWNING

German Prefers Death Rather Than Fight Brothers.

St. Paul, Aug. 10.—Joseph Schaefer will not have to fight against his brothers in the German army. He has volunteered in the vast army of the dead. His body was found floating on the still surface of Snail lake, where he drowned himself several days ago.

"Rather than fight against my own brothers and may be kill them I would kill myself," Joseph told his companions on a grading gang near the lake. Then he went to the boat livery of John Reichkitzer and rented a boat. A few hours later the boat was found floating, empty except for half a dozen beer bottles and a hat.

Brainerd's first Chautauqua day filled the big tent near the postoffice Thursday. The Marylands were the afternoon attraction and gave the prelude in the evening. They combine in themselves physical beauty, charming manners, personality and real brains. These qualities, added to splendid musical training, has caused them to be an attraction which makes an instant appeal to an audience. Their ensemble work was of the best.

In the evening Judge Manford Schoonover of Kansas spoke of "Unseen Forces." The story of his life reveals him fighting his way from poverty and obscurity to a position of honor and trust.

His lecture warmed the cockles of the hearts of his hearers and revived a man's belief in humanity. He told of how his wife and himself had turned the paths of many young men and women in the direction of proper education and had assisted them through college and to good positions. He pleaded for the banker and other business men to interest themselves in the young strangers, boys and girls, in a city and by encouragement to develop their latent abilities.

He taught a Sunday school in his home town and told how he stood by his class boys when they were in trouble. Each repaid a thousand fold in good citizenship the interest shown in them.

He paused in his address and his audience shouted for him to continue and he spoke half an hour longer. This evening the Hawaiian orchestra and Clarence Locke Miller in a Tolstoy lecture, are the features.

FRIDAY, AUG. 10.

9:00 A. M.—Choosing of characters for the various groups in the pageant; formation and dramatization of the procession.

2:30 P. M.—Concert, novel and artistic, by the Hawaiians.

3:00 P. M.—Lecture, "A Prophet of the New Time," Clarence Locke Miller. Eloquent platformist has built dramatic address around life and teachings of Tolstoy. Admission 35 cents.

7:30 P. M.—Grand concert, music of Hawaii. Quintet of native Islanders present program of the haunting, fascinating airs of Hawaii. Admission 50 cents.

SATURDAY, AUG. 11.

9:00 A. M.—Children of all the pageant groups will meet—Clouds, Sun, Wind, Bluebirds, Buds, Roses, Leaves and Snow. Tryout for boys' contests.

2:30 P. M.—Address, "Problems of War and Prospects of Permanent Peace," Hon. J. H. "Cyclone" Davis. Texas congressman discusses problem of vital importance to our national life. Admission 50 cents.

7:30 P. M.—Modern drama, "It Pays to Advertise," The University Players. The most successful farce of the decade presented by a company of artists. Clean, wholesome and entertaining. Admission 50 cents.

LEADER OF POSSE THAT CAPTURED YOUNGERS DIES.

La Crosse, Wis., Aug. 10.—Thomas L. Vought, who, while a resident of Madella, Minn., led the posse which captured Bob, Frank and Cole Younger, members of the Jesse James gang of bandits, after the famous Northfield (Minn.) bank robbery in 1876, died here at the age of eighty-five years.

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Connecticut's Negro Governor.

The negroes of Connecticut were formerly accustomed to elect a governor for themselves. "Negro election," as it was called, generally took place on the Saturday following the election day of the whites. Just what the negro governor's duties and privileges were does not appear. At all events he was respected as "governor" by the negroes throughout the state. The custom was established before the Revolutionary war and was continued as late as 1820.—Exchange.

THE WEATHER**Weather Forecast for Next 24 Hours:**

Cool, rising temperature probable, occasional showers.
Co-operative observer's record, 6 P. M.—

August 9, maximum 72, minimum 37. Rainfall .04 inches.

August 10, minimum for the night 35.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

News of Parties, Visitors, Visits, Deaths, Accidents, Etc., gratefully received by the Dispatch. Both phones, North-west 74.

Mrs. W. J. Thompson is visiting in Staples.

For spring water phone 264. If

J. J. Dyer of Superior, Wis., was in town.

Leon E. Lum of Duluth was in the city today.

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L. Bourassa, Telephone 13. 541m

R. L. Hinkle of Crosby was in town today.

Attend the big shoe sale at B.

Kaatz & Son. 1t

Dr. C. A. Nelson was called to Pillsbury Friday.

Purity Ice Cream Co. Both

Phones, N.W. 727, Tri-State 6263. If

Miss Grace Channing of Aitkin was in the city Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Zeese of Aitkin

visited in Brainerd today.

Your friend, under the name of

Thomas Beare went to Minneapolis

on business this morning.

Mrs. Charles Eckhart has returned

from a visit in Detroit, Mich.

Nettleton sells and rents houses. 54tf

Mrs. Dell Germaine of Little Falls

is a guest of Mrs. A. J. Maghan.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Vernon of Little

Falls visited in the city today.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Christine have

returned from a visit in Illinois.

Only 10 more days until "The Bar-

rier" is to be shown at the Best

theatre. 57tf

Judge C. A. Albright has returned

from a three days' visit in Duluth.

Attorney Thomas Beare of Iron-

ton was in the city on legal matters.

Richard Edling has accepted a po-

sition as depot agent at Hackensack.

White Brothers are repairing the

front of the O'Brien block on Laurel

street.

Dance at Ft. Ripley Friday, Aug.

10th. Imperial orchestra will play. 5712p

G. A. Murphy of Ironton, business

man of that town, was in the city

today.

The regular monthly meeting of

the water and light board will be

held on Tuesday evening, August 28.

The M. W. A. at Pequot will build

a new two-story hall of cement

blocks.

WANTED—To rent, 4 or 5 room cot-

tage within easy walking distance

from business district. Address B.

care of Dispatch. 1227-53tf

Rev. Father Tougas of Helena,

Mont., is the guest of relatives in

the city.

Miss Beulah Smith has returned

from Minneapolis where she visited

her sisters.

Jud LaMoore and granddaughter

of Pembina, N. D., are registered at the Ideal hotel.

Miss Irene Hyson and Miss Blanche McNally of Little Falls visited friends in Brainerd.

For Sale—Good 5 room house with bath and pantry, 50 foot lot, electric lights, new chicken coop and yard, good wood shed, nice lawn and shade trees, cheap for cash. Mrs. R. A. Henning, 415 4th Ave. N. E. 55t

Mrs. M. C. Sheets has returned from Chicago where she visited her mother three weeks.

Miss Evelyn Nash is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Fred Vincent, of Little Falls.

Mrs. J. A. McCarthy and daughter Evelyn left for Saginaw, Mich. Thursday afternoon for a visit.

Miss Agnes Ravik, guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Larson, has returned to her home in Northfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Harris Bergh were guests of Dr. and Mrs. B. W. Kelly of Aitkin at Cedar Lake.

Miss U. L. Kennedy of Toronto, Canada, is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. F. Ross at 620 Maple street.

For Sale—Nearly new blue enameled Quick-meal range. G. E. Lammon. 58

Mrs. Hannah Olson and son Ben motored from Virginia to Brainerd, arriving in the city last evening.

Mrs. L. P. Boles of Buffalo, N. Y., is visiting in the city. She was formerly Mrs. Sarah L. Sleeper of Brainerd.

20 percent discount on Refrigerators and Lawn Mowers while they last. Orne's, 714-716 Laurel St. 58tf

Mrs. Frank Renick returned home Thursday afternoon after a few days visit at Brainerd.—Little Falls Transcript.

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The funeral of Mrs. A. E. Evans will take place Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Episcopal church.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry George and children returned Thursday from a visit of a couple of weeks at Litchfield, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hoffman and son and Miss Cora Stickney motored to Minneapolis on Sunday and returned Tuesday night.

A special communication of Aurora Lodge, A. F. and A. M., was held on Monday evening for work in the Entered Apprentice degree.

Mrs. Jerry Glunt went to Staples today to attend the funeral of Mrs. John McDonald which will be held Saturday morning at 9 o'clock.

Mrs. John Hoving of Ferguson Falls visited her niece, Miss Elsie Carlson, coming from Bemidji today where she had enjoyed several weeks at the lakes.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weitzel of Shauneev, Saskatchewan, Canada, are the parents of a nine pound baby born yesterday. Mother and child are doing well.

The Misses Sophie and Olga Krueger have returned from Oshkosh, Wis., and other cities where they have been visiting friends and relatives the past six weeks.

Mrs. F. V. Weisenberger and daughter, Miss Anna, of St. Paul, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Webb at their summer home, "Green Gables," at Portage Lake.

Ole Fogelson has sold his farm in South Long Lake to an Iowa farmer who takes possession this week and will farm extensively. Mr. Fogelson is undecided about the future and may remain in Brainerd for some time.

O. M. Olson of Moline, Ill., was a guest of his brother-in-law, Rev. Rens Johnson and left today for Minneapolis. He was at Bay Lake several days and was pleased with the beautiful lakes and country affording recreation.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Brown of Pittsburgh, Pa., motored to Brainerd today and are guest at the Ideal hotel. Friends told them of the beauties of Pelican lake and they motored all the way from Pennsylvania to see the lake.

Rev. Father D. W. Lynch, former Brainerd pastor now of St. James church in West Duluth, has been the



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Members of Mission Say Idea
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Americans Just Back From Petrograd
Declare Russia Needs Organization
and Encouragement, More Railways
and Rolling Stock to Carry Supplies.

Washington, Aug. 10.—Disapproval of the suggestion that American troops be sent to the eastern front was brought home by all except one of the members of the American mission to Russia.

It was said authoritatively that Charles Edward Russell is the only commissioner who believes it desirable to put soldiers from the United States in Russia and that the others are convinced that their presence would be detrimental rather than helpful to the armies of the new democracy.

Ellis Root and his associates on the mission were at luncheon with Secretary Lansing and told him more of their experiences and conclusions. Their written report, submitted to President Wilson, probably will not be made public.

Organization and encouragement and not men, it was explained, are Russia's needs, in the opinion of the majority of the commissioners.

With 10,000,000 men under arms they think Russia requires no more soldiers, particularly she does not need a few thousand strange soldiers, speaking an unfamiliar tongue, drawing better pay and eating better food than her own men.

Rolling stock for the railroads to carry supplies and equipment to the native soldiers and the supplies themselves are the real requirements and they will grow.

J. O. BENTALL IN CUSTODY

Socialist Candidate for Governor of
Minnesota Arrested.

St. Paul, Aug. 10.—J. O. Bentall, Socialist candidate for governor of Minnesota in the last primaries, was arrested on his farm near Litchfield by agents of the department of justice charged with "wantonly attempting to cause insubordination, mutiny and refusal of duty in the military forces of the country."

Bentall was arrested on a warrant

sworn out by Alfred Jaques, United States district attorney in St. Paul, following a writ of temporary mittimus issued by Mr. Jaques.

Bentall, who is one of the best known Socialist leaders in the state, was taken to Minneapolis before Howard Abbott, United States commissioner. He was remanded to the Hennepin county jail without bail.

The charge against Bentall carries with it a punishment of twenty years' imprisonment or \$5,000 fine or both on conviction.

GERMAN EDITOR ARRESTED

St. Paul Publisher Held as an Enemy
Alien.

St. Paul, Aug. 10.—Fritz Bergmeier, president and manager of the Die Volkszeitung, a German daily paper printed in St. Paul, was arrested on orders of United States Attorney General Gregory.

The arrest was made by J. A. Wessel, United States marshal, after the order had been received by United States District Attorney Alfred Jaques.

Mr. Bergmeier is accused of being an enemy alien who may be danger-

guest for the week of Mr. and Mrs. Con O'Brien at their summer cottage at Clearwater lake.

The Dispatch Thursday evening carried a column and a quarter of wants. They were 14 help wanted, 8 for rent, 12 for sale and 9 miscellaneous wants. Telephone the Dispatch 74, mail the ad or carry it to the office. Ads are cash.

Miss Mae Manthey, guest of her sister, Mrs. A. A. Cater of the Imperial block the past two weeks, has returned to her home in Minneapolis. She was a guest of honor at several functions, notably a picnic at Lum park and a dinner at the home of Mrs. Cater.

North Broadway residents are aroused over the auto speeding nuisance which shows its appreciation of the new paving by rushing cars at 35 miles an hour over the thoroughfares. Citizens are determined to put a stop to the fast driving before somebody gets killed.

Frank Yllinen and family motored today from Virginia, coming by way of Grand Rapids, Hill City and Aitkin. Between Grand Rapids and Hill City the roads were very muddy. Mr. Yllinen was formerly a clerk in the H. W. Linnemann clothing store. He is now traveling for the Kelsey Mercantile Co. selling machinery.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred T. Lincoln returned Thursday night from a brief visit with relatives of Mr. Lincoln at Crow Lodge near Rockford, Minn., about 30 miles from Minneapolis. He reports crops in fine condition in that section and the harvest of wheat, barley and rye in full swing. Corn looks well and if the frost holds off, a good crop is anticipated.

The demand for rooms, furnished or unfurnished for light house-keeping continues and people having such rooms should advertise them in the Dispatch want ad column. People call at the Dispatch office, read the paper and that's generally as far as their search for rooms goes. If you are not advertising in the Dispatch, Mrs. Housewife, you lose the chance to quickly rent your rooms.

The Dispatch has a wide circulation in Brainerd and Crow Wing county and advertisers get the benefit of a circulation that reaches home trade. For example, a three line statement in a report on commissioners' proceedings that the Mahlum Lumber Co. had gained the county coal contract of 100 tons of coal at \$7.50 a ton, caused heavy buying at the Mahlum yards and the Dispatch received inquiries from Little Falls and other points about the coal. Little Falls people asserted the cheapest coal they had down there was \$9.50 a ton. Milton Mahlum of the Mahlum company, said the coal was Illinois Logan stove coal obtained by an all-rail haul.

BROTHER OFFERS AN ALIBI

Does Not Believe T. E. Hauge Had
Time to Kill Woman.

La Crosse, Wis., Aug. 10.—Carl Hauge, brother of Theodore Edwin Hauge, West Salem truck farmer, wanted for the murder of Mrs. Cora Miller, Feb. 24, told a story which, if true, provides a possible alibi for the alleged slayer of the woman whose body was found buried in the Hauge cellar July 31.

Carl said that he spent all but one hour of the night of Feb. 24 in the cottage with his brother, going to the village at 7:30 p. m. and returning at 8:30 p. m. He says that it would have been impossible for him to have done away with the woman during that time.

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PILLAGER HAPPENINGS

Editor Bennett Tells in His Herald of News Items and Gossip in the Country Adjacent

Two farmers living north of Pillager, who are neighbors, are very tall and slender, and each of them boasts to the other that he is the thinner. A few days ago they went to Brainerd to attend a circus. Before entering the big tent they visited the side shows and spent some time in front of the platform on which the "living skeleton" was exhibited. For a time they gazed in wonder and then one of them turning to the other, broke the silence: "I thought I was thin," he said, "but by golly, that fellow is thinner than both of us put together."

A. A. Green, a former resident of

Staples but who has been living at his bungalow on Pillager lake the past several years, has made arrangements to lease the new Palace movie theatre at Staples and will move back to that place.

John P. Hanson, one of Cass county's prosperous farmers living east of Pillager, is the owner of a new Chevrolet motor car which he purchased at Brainerd last Saturday. More cars have been sold to farmers living in the vicinity of Pillager this summer than ever before, and speaks well for the advancement and prosperity of this section of the state.

Thomas Wolf and family were at Brainerd in their car Monday. Mr. Wolf has recently sold his farm north of Pillager to a gentleman from the southern part of the state, who will move here next spring. We understand the farm sold for \$50 per acre.

WOMAN'S REALM

TRAINED NURSE TEACHING CLASSES

Miss Zimmermann at Library Hall. Classes Being Enrolled for Surgical Dressing Work

SMALL TUITION FEE NAMED

Brainerd Chapter of Red Cross Deeply Interested in the Work for Army and Navy

At last arrangements have been made for the women of Brainerd to get down to real work for the Red Cross. Miss Zimmermann is here and the classes in surgical dressings have opened.

The call has come from Washington telling of the need for surgical dressings and asking what Brainerd is doing in this line of work. The need for surgical dressings is great and Miss Zimmermann says unless the local classes are well filled up it is not going to pay to have undertaken them.

Miss Zimmermann is willing to take sixteen in each class and to form a night class. There is therefore room for many more workers. The tuition is three dollars and one free tuition is offered.

The Chapter feels sure that when the situation is understood there will be no slackers in Brainerd. Those wishing to apply for membership will call up Mrs. C. G. Nordin or Mrs. A. W. Ide. There is a fine display of surgical dressing in H. P. Dunn's windows.

At the Best Tonight

Elmo Lincoln, known as the Hercules of the screen, and Carmel Myers, one of the Triangle star beauties, are featured in "Might and the Man," which will be exhibited at the Best theatre today.

The picture combines scenes of riotous comedy, with episodes of mystery and thrill. Lincoln appears as a trainer in Clancy's sanitarium for broken down millionaires. He puts his patients through ridiculous exercises that almost cause them to rebel.

Among the victims is a steel manufacturer who is expecting plans of a submarine destroyer from the government. A spy of a foreign power attempts to gain possession of these documents, but the gymnasium trainer frustrates the scheme and because his athletic physique attracts the daughter of the manufacturer. He fancies himself in love with her until he makes the acquaintance of the cook, a star pie baker. Then he declares he prefers genius to beauty.

He Felt Like Ninety

Nothing makes a person feel old quicker than disordered kidneys. They cause aches and pains all over the body. A. W. Morgan, Angola, La., writes, "Oh, I suffered with pain in my back. I am 43 years old, but I felt like a man 90 years old. Since I took Foley Kidney Pills I feel like I did when I was 21." H. P. Dunn, druggist.—Adv. mwf

Fruit and Vegetable Drying Series

BY GEORGE MARTIN.

(United Press Staff Correspondent.) Washington, August 4.—There's a lot of complicated and expensive machinery for fruit and vegetable drying, but Uncle Sam says you don't need to let that worry you. There are cheap and effective methods that do just as well.

Sun drying is about the cheapest and most effective method for housewives practicing a little war economy at home. In its simplest form sun drying consists of simply spreading the sliced or chopped food on sheets of clean paper, or, if it sticks, on pieces of old, though clean, muslin, weighted down with stones.

Choose bright, hot, sunny days for this. See that no rain or dew wets the product. Throw a mosquito bar over it to keep off flies and insects. Stir the slices and turn them over once or twice a day. Take out the thin ones, which dry first.

You must be particularly careful about flies and insects. If they lay their eggs in the drying product, they will hatch later and riddle your dried foods, rendering them unfit for the table.

If you can afford trays, use them. Then you can stack the trays at night and cover them with oilcloth, canvas or roofing paper during wet weather or at night.

Don't put your trays directly on the ground. You can make a little tier tray, if you have a handy man around the house, to hang over the kitchen stove and dry your things that way. It will utilize all the hot air given off by any kind of a stove.

Still another home-made drier is the cookstove oven. Bits of food, especially left-overs, can be dried on plates in a very slow oven in connection with other cooking or on the back of the cookstove and preserved for winter use.

If the oven is very warm the door may be left ajar and the temperature of the oven often noted. You can also use small galvanized iron trays in the oven. There are such small driers on the market. Then there's the electric fan. If you own one, fruits and vegetables in long trays, about 3x1 feet and stacked in two tiers, end to end before the fan, can be dried within 24 hours.

Sliced string beans and shredded sweet potatoes will dry before a fan running at moderate speed within a few hours. In many cities the fan will use about 1-4 of a cent an hour in electricity.

Place the fan close to the stack and do not fill them so full that the air cannot pass freely all around them. The big advantage of the fan method is that the food keeps cool all the time, thus tending to retain the color and prevent spoilage.

At the Best Sunday

Beale Barriscale plays twin sisters in a new Triangle play, "The Snarl," produced under the supervision of Thomas H. Ince, which will be shown at the Best theatre Sunday.

For continuous suspense and perfection of the mystifying dual role this play stands out as a screen gem. Miss Barriscale has never created finer character studies than the twin sisters, one of noble, inspirational charm and the other a frivolous creature without soul.

The story, which is by Leona Hutten and Lambert Hillyer, concerns Helen Dean, who on the eve of her operatic debut is crippled. Her sister, Marion, a vain, selfish girl, is substituted to act the part, while Helen sings the words from behind the scenes. Intoxicated with praise and the admiration of men, Marion ignores all dictates of conscience and morality and pursues a course that involves the destinies of her sister, a young millionaire and his secretary.

Charles Gun is leading man for the star, and Howard Hickman, Aggie Herring, Thomas Guise and J. Barney Sherry form the supporting company. The production was directed by Raymond B. West, with art supervision by Robert Brunton.

Feel Worse After Vacation

The change from outdoor activity of vacation time to the quiet of regular employment sometimes makes one feel heavy and "stuffed up," uncomfortable and bilious, with a mean headache and coated tongue. Foley Cathartic Tablets give prompt relief from these results of indigestion. Mild and gentle, but sure. H. P. Dunn, druggist.—Adv. mwf

CARNIVAL COMES WELL RECOMMENDED

Clifton-Kelley Shows to Appear for Week Auspices Northeast Brainerd Improvement League

FREE MIDWAY ATTRACTION

Carnival to be Located at the Haymarket and Laurel Between Fifth and Fourth Streets

The Clifton-Kelley shows, which will show in the city all next week, starting Monday night, will come here with more recommendations and letters from city officials where they have shown than any other carnival on the road.

Among the most cherished possessions of Mr. L. C. Kelley, the owner of the mammoth aggregation, are many letters of indorsement from ministers of the gospel, complimenting his carnival as one of cleanliness, the kind that is necessary to the happiness and contentment of the masses.

Amusement is as necessary as medicine or an occasional sermon or any other necessity. It is told of Abraham Lincoln, who was just starting out as a lawyer and had undertaken the most important case he had ever had, that he was found, just prior to his appearance in court, romping on the lawn with a child astride his neck.

A friend said to him, "What are you doing? It would seem that you would be preparing for your case."

"That is exactly what I am doing," said the immortal Abe. "I am preparing for my case by youthening my mind."

The carnival will be situated on the Haymarket show grounds and there will be no admission fee charged to the midway.

Miss Mahlum Entertains

The Misses Anne and Bertha Mahlum gave a large dancing party at Lum park Wednesday evening for Miss Irene Hodgden of Altkin and her guest, Miss Warner of Minneapolis. It was a most delightful social function, light refreshments being served.

For Mrs. Laura Blake

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Blake entertained Thursday evening in honor of Mr. Blake's mother, Mrs. Laura Blake, of Chicago. Five hundred was played and the prize winners were John Favrou and Miss Esther Brisbane. A dainty luncheon was served.

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And, oh, how much it holds
Of your Land and my Land
Safe within its folds.
Your heart and my heart
The Red, the White, the Blue!
Beat quicker at the sight;
Sun-kissed and wind-kissed,
The Red, the Blue and White!
The one Flag—the Great Flag—
The Flag for me and you—
Glorified the whole wide—

BIRDS DO THEIR BIT

(Minneapolis Journal)

Bird enthusiasts in Massachusetts are rejoicing in the return of the wrens which had not been seen for years. It was thought that the sparrows had driven them off, but when thousands of bird houses were put out, the birds discovered what was being done for them and wrens were soon reported nesting in suburbs where they had not before been seen. Bird houses were common in New England half a century ago, but had fallen into disuse. Hole nesting birds were handicapped by lack of places for homes and selected other localities. Now that the bird houses are common again, the birds have returned.

The caretaker of the estate of Wm. Rockefeller, which now values the birds, reported how hard put the birds were for nesting places. The maid left a cloth bag half full of clothespins on the line over night. The next morning a pair of wrens had started to build in it. It was not disturbed and the wren family was raised in it. After that incident, nests were provided in great numbers.

The value of the bird to the farm and garden is beyond price. A cultivator of grapes in Brookline, Mass., found that his vines were infested with small, black, rigid caterpillars. The vermin appeared to thrive on the spraying materials used. Finally the gardener provided near the vines bathing places for the birds. He says:

The other day a strange bird of a kind I have not yet identified, flew down from the Linden trees, sown himself for fully five minutes. He peered at me and then at the vines; then proceeded to climb up those on one of the posts and devour caterpillars. He ate six in quick succession, and flew away with a seventh hanging from his beak, like a limp cigar. In a few minutes he was back again, and repeated the process; in fact, in all he made seven or eight visits, systematically climbing each post and along the top, clawing himself along like a parrot. After his last trip, I could find but one solitary caterpillar among the whole length of vine, where before there had been dozens.

Every gardener knows what one caterpillar means in the matter of future generations of destroyers. And here were the vines nearly cleared of the pests. It would be a paying investment to devote a few days of the winter to fabricating bird-houses.

Beginning Monday, August 13, The Daily Dispatch will commence the publication of a home reading course for citizen-soldiers for the benefit of the 500,000 young men selected for service in the national army. The articles are issued by the war department and are written in simple, non-technical language, and which will be of considerable value to all, even to those who have already had

military experience, and it will be well to clip and save every lesson as published as the series will make a valuable addition to your literature and will give you practical help in getting started the right way.

Eat less bread stuffs and more potatoes is the advice for conserving the food supply. Minnesota is fortunate in her potato crop, there will be plenty and to spare, and the frugal householder has a patch that will answer his family requirements where last year he paid anywhere from \$1.50 to \$4 a bushel for them—and poor ones at that.

The Crookston Lumber company will rebuild the large lumber mill recently burned at Bemidji and the people of that city are rejoicing in the good news. The burning of the plant was laid to the door of I. W. W. activities in that section. Bemidji citizens taking quick and active measures to rid the city of all that class of people.

The arrest of the leaders in the opposition to selective draft will probably have the desired effect. A good stiff sentence along with the arrest will be a warning to others who are inclined to give advice that will aid the enemy in time of war.

HOME READING COURSE FOR CITIZEN-SOLDIERS

30 Lessons—Tentative Titles

The first of the following series will be published in The Daily Dispatch on Monday, August 13, and will continue until all are printed in the series.

1. You Post of Honor.
2. Making Good as a Soldier
3. Nine Soldierly Qualities.
4. Getting Ready for Camp.
5. First Days in Camp.
6. Cleanliness in Camp.
7. Your Health.
8. Marching and Care of Feet.
9. Your Equipment and Arms.
10. Recreation in Camp.
11. Playing the Game.
12. Team Work in the Army.
13. Grouping Men into Teams.
14. The Team Leaders.
15. Fighting Arms of the Service.
16. Staff Branches of the Service—I.
17. Staff Branches of the Service—II.
18. Army Insignia.
19. The Army System of Training.
20. Close Order Drill.
21. Extended Order Drill.
22. Guard Duty.
23. Getting Ahead in the Army.
24. Army Courtesy.
25. Discipline and Respect for the Colors.
26. Some Army Traditions.
27. The Spirit of the Service.
28. Why We Fight.
29. The War in Europe.
30. The Soldier in Battle.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

June 29

Roy B. Jones single to William T. Armstrong se of ne of 32-137-25 wd \$1 etc.
Harry O. Seaton single et al to Laura Z. Graves lots 19, 8 and 9, Gull Lake Park wd \$975.
J. L. Dillan and wife to Bertha Reis lot 10 and s½ lot 11 blk. 217 First Addn. to town now city of Brainerd wd \$1 etc.
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June 30

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F. W. Hargreaves and wife to Harvey Clapp und. 5-128 int. in se of se of 2-46-29 spl. wd \$1.
Robert Archibald and wife to Edward Jahr, lot 6 blk. 8, Archibald's 2nd Addn. to Deerwood wd \$200.

Has Recovered Her Health

So many women suffer from similar afflictions that this testimonial from Mrs. Laura Beall, Plattesburg, Miss., will be read with interest: "I got in bad health. My left side hurt all the time. I took doctor's medicine, but it did me no good. I took two bottles of Foley Kidney Pills and I feel all right now." H. P. Dunn, druggist.—Adv.

No Reserve.

She—They refused to cash a check for me this morning because they said the account was overdrawn. Now I'd really like to know what is the good of having a federal reserve board anyway.—Life.

Synopsis of Minnesota Game and Fish Laws; Keep for Reference

It is Unlawful—

To kill harmless birds.
To hunt deer with dogs.
To fish with more than one line.
To use steel traps for taking black bear.

To take or destroy birds' nests or eggs.
To place or receive game in cold storage.

To hunt on land of another without permission.
To shoot game of any kind from motor vehicles.

To wantonly waste or destroy game birds, animals or fish.

To ship (except as baggage) brook trout, black or Oswego bass.

To sell fish caught in lakes of Hennepin, Ramsey or St. Louis counties.

To obstruct the commissioner or his agents while gathering fish spawn.

To carry guns in training dogs during close season on lands frequented by game birds.

To deposit sawdust or refuse in waters planted by commissioner, or where fish abound.

To hunt or carry firearms in state parks or forest reserves or to hunt in game refuges.

To retain game more than five days after close of season unless tagged by commissioner.

To use traps, snares, artificial lights, nets, birdlime, set guns to kill animals or birds.

For aliens to hunt game in Minnesota, or to own or be possessed of firearms after August 1, 1917.

To shoot waterfowl from motor boats, or on the open water outside natural growth of vegetation.

To kill any game birds or animals in any other way than by shooting them with a gun held to the shoulder.

To use the hunting license of another person—minimum penalty \$50—or to use another's shipping coupon.

To spear fish within 100 feet of a fishway, dam or state fish hatchery, or to fish with hook and line within 50 feet of a fishway.

To serve bass or trout (except lake trout from commercial fisheries or trout from private hatcheries) or any kind of game in hotels or restaurants.

To take fish in any other manner than by angling with hook and line, except that pickerel, suckers, redhorse, buffalo fish, whitefish, sturgeon, dogfish, eelpout, garfish, carp and bullheads may be speared.

License Provisions

Resident small game license, \$1, required of all persons over 14 years of age (except of person shooting on land owned or leased and occupied by himself as permanent residence). Resident large game license (no exception) \$1.00. Non-resident small game license \$10.00, large game \$25. Resident licenses obtainable of county auditors, non-resident licenses from game and fish commissioner. Non-resident trapper's license, \$10. Non-resident angler's license, \$1. (Sold by commissioner, county auditors, game wardens and at summer resorts.)

Fishhouse license, season Dec. 15 to April 1, \$1, for spearing pickerel, carp, buffalo fish, bullheads, suckers and redhorse for domestic use.

Whitefish netting license, season Nov. 1 to Jan. 10, \$1, domestic use only.

Inland herring netting license, season Nov. 1 to Jan. 10, \$1, domestic use only.

Injurious Birds

Blackbirds, crows, English sparrows, sharp-shinned hawks, Cooper hawks, great horned owls, goshawks.

Bounties

No state bounties are paid on any predatory species, no appropriation being available. Some counties pay bounties on wolves, crows and gophers.

Artificial Lights

Artificial lights allowed in spearing fish in stream only, not closer to a lake than 500 feet, in April and October, and in lakes from Nov. 1 to Nov. 15.

Rat Shooting Prohibited

The shooting of muskrats is prohibited between Feb. 15 and April 15 following.

Game Refuges

May be established without hearing, when all land owners join in petition. Public hearing required otherwise. State parks and state forest reserve lands and game refuges. All others established by game and fish commissioner.

Fish and Game Propagation

All under control of game and fish department. Domestication and propagation permitted under license.

GAME LIMITS

Moose or Deer

One male, antlered moose or one

deer. Same for resident or non-resident. Game may be shipped to home of licensee. (No moose "antlered" until over one year old.)

Game Birds

One day's bag, 5 birds of all varieties except quail or duck; 30 allowed in possession; ducks, 15 in one day and 45 in possession; quail, 10 in one day and 20 in possession. Non-resident allowed to ship 25 game birds to place of residence; resident, 45 birds, in three ships of 15 each.

Season bag limit, prairie chickens, 25, quail 30.

Fish

Limit of black bass or wall-eyed pike, 15 in one day; crappies or trout of any variety, 25 in one day; unlawful to have more than 25 black bass in possession. Non-resident may take 50 pounds with him to place of residence. No license required of resident for hook and line fishing.

The taking of more than 25 fish in one day is punishable as wanton waste.

Sale of Fish and Game

Sale of Game—Prohibited at all times. It is an offense to sell or offer to sell game.

Sale of Fish—Allowed during open season, except that sale of brook trout and bass is prohibited. Sale of pike, from waters stocked by commissioner is unlawful. Sale of sunfish, perch and crappies prohibited at discretion of commissioner.

Size of fish allowed to be taken—Pike, 14 inches in length or one pound, round weight; lake trout or salmon, 16 inches in length, caught in inland waters, or whitefish, 16 inches in length; black or Oswego bass, 9 inches in length; muskallonge, 30 inches in length; sturgeon 15 pounds, dressed; sandpike or saugers, 10 inches in length; other fish except minnows for bait, yellow perch and bullheads, six inches in length. Fish to be measured from tip of the snout to fork of the tail.

IT WAS VERY GOOD COAL.

That It Was Spiced With Gunpowder Made It All the Better.

In reviewing his early life in Constantinople Sir Edwin Pears tells an amusing story of a coal contractor who was supplying the British fleet with fuel. A commissariat officer on one occasion went to him to say that a man-of-war had just arrived in the Bosphorus and was ordered to proceed to the Crimea with distinguished officers on board, but it was short of coal. The contractor answered that one of his small sailing vessels had just arrived laden with a cargo of coal and that he would arrange to have it discharge the fuel directly on board the man-of-war.

A day or two later when the contractor saw his manager he asked what had been done with about ninety kegs of gunpowder that had been stowed on the top of the coal.

"Oh, we found all the kegs empty," said the manager. "There was no powder to remove."

During the next three weeks the contractor lived in constant dread. He feared that every ship coming from the Crimea would bring news of an explosion on the man-of-war and an order for his arrest. He became ill from anxiety.

One day, a fortnight later, he heard with fear and trembling from his inland office the voice of the commissariat officer asking to see the merchant who had supplied the ship with coal. He put on a bold face and went out.

"Yes, you're the man," said the commissariat officer in a loud voice. "You gave us 300 tons of coal. It's the best we have ever had. Instead of our having to stop the ship while we cleared the funnels whenever there is a puff of smoke goes with a puff that clears the funnel itself. I want 300 tons more; but, mind, it must be of the same quality."

The Engineer Corps.

The duty of the corps of engineers in the United States army in the time of war consists of planning and constructing fortifications, procuring information concerning the topography of the country, supplying maps, selecting position for camps, constructing or destroying bridges and often work requiring technical skill; in time of peace, to plan and construct permanent fortifications and coast defense, build lighthouses, superintend river and harbor improvements, survey and establish boundaries, etc.



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OUR FIRST DREADNAUGHTS.

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One of the most interesting episodes in Vice Admiral Sims' career was his championship in the years 1903-4 of the all big gun ships, the dreadnaughts. This was two years before the British brought out their first dreadnaught, revolutionizing the naval construction policy of the world. The progenitor of the dreadnaught idea in the American navy was Lieutenant Homer C. Poundstone. Poundstone for months had treasured the idea of all big gun ships, hoping to win the support of the navy for such a construction change. Meeting discouragement, he sought out Commander Sims. He quickly won Sims' support.

Poundstone was a good draftsman, and he and Sims in 1903 and 1904 made

sketches and drew plans for a big gun ship. The navy heads vetoed the plan of the two officers as often as they brought it up for consideration, but Sims never abandoned the idea. The ship became a great joke around the navy department. It is a striking coincidence that the name given by these two officers to their paper battleship and the name by which the ship was known in the navy offices was the U. S. S. Scared-o-Nothing. Two years afterward the British admiralty called its first all big gun ship Dreadnaught. Commander Sims convinced President Roosevelt that the dreadnaught was bound to come. As a result the plans for the battleships Michigan and South Carolina, which had already been authorized to be built in the old way, were changed so that they slid from the ways the first American dreadnaughts.—World's Work.

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FIREMAN HURT IN BIG FREIGHT WRECK

James Larkin, St. Paul, Clambered on Tender at Barrows and Had His Legs Crushed

FOUR EMPTIES ARE TELESKOPED

Engineer Smiley Sticks to Post as Train Goes Through Open Switch and was Unharmed

Fireman James Larkin, age 28 and single of St. Paul, had his legs crushed this morning and is at the Brainerd railway hospital following the Northtown extra freight train wreck at Barrows eight miles south of Brainerd.

Four empties were telescoped by two carloads of flour as Engineer Smiley dynamited his train and tried to stop as he whirled through the open switch up a spur and off that into open ground. The big locomotive plowed into the dirt up to its running board and kept upright, smashing to bits the section foreman's gasoline car standing on the spur.

The fireman swung to the top of the tanks and was swept down by the wreckage which piled up like a big wave. He was hurried to Brainerd and taken to the hospital and operated on and at 3 o'clock this afternoon is reported to be resting easy and getting along fairly well.

Trains were routed around the wreck by way of Staples. The St. Paul passenger came in over an hour late. The wrecker from Brainerd is at the scene. The track is not badly damaged, the greatest problem being to get the engine back on the rails.

G. W. Chadbourne motored to Barrows and brought back with him Engineer Smiley, whose parents live in Brainerd. Railway officials will make a thorough investigation of the accident.

MOBILIZING CARS TO MOVE CROPS

Railroads in the northwest through their war board are mobilizing all available freight cars to move the crops. According to G. W. Murnane, secretary Twin City Sub-Committee, the car situation is at present better than at this time last year.

"Ship early" is a good motto to follow," says Mr. Murnane. "By doing so merchants and others can have better assurance of getting merchandise more promptly than will be the case if they delay. Increased rail traffic incident to the war is likely to cause an unprecedented demand for freight equipment in the near future.

"Among those problems confronting railway managers is that of getting enough coal into this territory to prevent suffering next winter. Although more has already been hauled to this section by the railroads than a year ago the supply coming by boat up the lakes is woefully short."

THEODORE SCOTT DEAD

Well Known Farmer of Garrison Passed Away Following a Paralytic Stroke

Theodore Scott, age 66, well known farmer of Garrison, died Thursday night following a paralytic stroke. He leaves a wife and several children. The funeral was held Friday afternoon at Garrison, interment being in the cemetery there.

Any man who writes a letter he wants burned should burn it himself.

Age brings a man knowledge of many things he would rather not know

SPECIALS For Saturday

WESTERN CATTLE

Peef Pot Roast	12½c to 15c
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CHAMBER COMMERCE MEETS ON TUESDAY

Regular Date Would Have Been on Wednesday, Pay Day, and Barred Many From Attending

SCENIC HIGHWAY COMING UP

Advisory Board Meets Same Evening Before Chamber Meeting. Membership Committee Report

Important meetings of the Chamber of Commerce and the advisory board will be held Tuesday evening, August 14, the advisory board to meet at 7:30 and chamber immediately following.

The regular meeting date would fall on Wednesday the 15th but owing to the fact that pay day at the shops and factories comes on that date, the evening previous has been designated for the meetings.

Important Work

A number of reports are to be heard at the advisory board meeting and two factory propositions requiring prompt consideration to be taken up. The secretary has several important communications to read, the special committee on garbage collection will report, and matters relating to the Scenic Highway be discussed. These are some of the important matters to come up but others requiring the attention of the chamber should be taken up at once, especially the preparations for handling the crop this fall and co-operating with the farmers of this section in the same.

Every member of the advisory board is urged to attend the meeting at 7:30 p. m. and it is hoped that a good attendance at the regular meeting of the chamber will also be possible. The summer months are on the wane and the secretary has much to come before the club which demands consideration.

Plans for Future

The committee is making plans for another market day for the farmers, to be held early in September, the regular monthly club dinners will be renewed in September and several inaugurations for the approval of the advisory board are to be acted upon.

The membership committee will be expected to make a report at the meeting of the advisory board and members who have not renewed for the new year are urged to assist the committee and "Do It Now."

Parties who wish to ship waste paper with the next car to be sent out under the direction of the Chamber of Commerce public affairs committee are urged to advise the secretary at once the amount they expect to have and to be prepared to bring it to the waste paper depot in the Fitzer building on Front street the latter part of next week.

The secretary today received quotations from a firm buying waste paper and it will be possible to ship by the 20th of this month, providing patrons act promptly and cooperate with the committee. An embargo is placed on shipments of waste paper whenever the railroads find it impossible to have cars unloaded promptly and this is the first opportunity to ship since the first car went out.

Please Take Notice

Paper must positively be either balled or securely tied and free from all dirt, twine, or rags; covers must be removed from book paper in order to obtain the price paid for that grade and it is to the interest of the shipper to separate all book paper, tie it in neat, well packed bundles and have it in such shape that it will not become loosened. Paper will positively not be accepted unless it is handled in this manner and the shipper cooperates with the committee in the work.

Much of the first shipment was in a wretched condition when received at the warehouse and it required much work to put it in shape. Merchants generally sent their paper in well baled and in good shape and it is the small shipper who is careless. The second car lot, it is hoped, will be in better condition when received at the warehouse.

Shippers, large and small, are invited to send in their paper but must notify the secretary at once before a car can be ordered. Fifteen tons must be secured before a car lot will be sent out.

NOTICE TO SPRING WATER CONSUMERS

After careful consideration of the Spring Water rates have decided to continue at the old rates of a \$1.00 per month hoping this meets with the approval of my patrons.

54-16 ROBERT PETERSON.

READ THE DISPATCH WANT ADS

TURCOTTE-HARDY MOTOR COMPANY

Formed by Wm. and Art Turcotte and Their Brother-in-law A. E. Hardy of Pennsylvania

BOUGHT THE C. OLSON GARAGE

Will Handle Studebaker, White and Stearns Cars, Evinrude Motors and Accessories

The Turcotte-Hardy Motor Co. is the name of a new business firm which has bought the interests of Clarence Olson and will continue the garage he had on Norwood street. The members of the firm are Wm. V. Turcotte and Art Turcotte and their brother-in-law, A. E. Hardy of Erie, Pennsylvania.

The firm will handle the Studebaker, White and Stearns cars, Evinrude motors and automobile accessories of all kinds. Mr. Hardy has had considerable experience in the manufacturing line and will give his whole attention to sales and repairs.

The Turcotte Brothers are well known in the business world in Brainerd and friends are assured the three will make a success of the new business.

ARE IMPROVING M. & I. SERVICE

Company Has Put in Better Accommodations Between Pine River and Brainerd

EXTRA CARS ARE BEING ADDED

Heavy Passenger and Express Traffic on M. & I. Increasing Receipts of Popular Line (Walker Pilot)

The M. & I. railway appears to have taken cognizance of the need for better railway facilities between Pine River and Brainerd. In the past, passengers from Walker for points below Brainerd always were compelled to "double up" as the cars filled, and the arrival at Brainerd almost invariably found a number of people standing in the aisles, at least on day trains in the summer time.

Wednesday, on the return trip from Brainerd, a couple of extra cars were added, and set off at Walker. The down train Thursday morning picked them up and took them down again. It is not known whether this will constitute a feature of the permanent service, but it is hoped that it will.

The trains of the past week have been late nearly every night, because of the heavy passenger and express traffic on the road.

Are You Lucky?

In August the air is full of pollen and dust that cause trouble for some, yet others are never bothered. No remedy does more to relieve hay fever and asthma than Foley's Honey and Tar Compound for coughs, colds and croup. It clears and soothes the afflicted nose, throat and bronchial tubes. H. P. Dunn, druggist.—Adv. mwf

BLAST KILLS FORTY-EIGHT

Munition Plant at Cracow, Galicia, Destroyed.

Zurich, Aug. 10.—In the explosion of two storehouses near Cracow, Galicia, forty-eight artillerymen were killed and many injured, according to Vienna newspapers.

The storehouses were part of a munition works and the explosion is attributed to spontaneous combustion.

Great damage was done in Cracow.

Austrians Free British Officer.

London, Aug. 10.—Captain Arthur Stanley Wilson, Conservative member of parliament, who was taken off a Greek steamer in the Mediterranean by an Austrian submarine in December, 1915, has been released by the Austrians and is on his way home.

Pineapple Jiffy-Jell



The flavor is made from fresh ripe fruit. It comes sealed in a vial, so it keeps. The flavor from half a ripe pineapple goes into a single package.

This is one of the 7 true-fruit flavors in Jiffy-Jell. All come in vials. They make instant desserts which taste like fresh crushed fruit.

Also Mint Flavor and Lime Juice Flavor for salad jells and relishes.

Recipe Book on Request

Waukesha Pure Food Co.
Waukesha Wis.

Look Better in a Gossard Corset

The woman who has a beautiful figure need never worry only lest she may lose this figure by improper corseting. The more beautiful and symmetrical your figure lines, the more you need a front lacing Gossard Corset to accentuate and preserve your figure beauty.

If your figure needs certain corrections, the Gossard will do more for you in a shorter time than you have been accustomed to. Your good lines are emphasized—positively—and the poor lines are corrected.

Physicians, style authorities, designers, famous actresses and social leaders prefer Gossards to any other corset and prescribe and wear them. Prices \$3.00, \$3.50, \$5.00, \$6.50.

H. F. MICHAEL CO.

SWEDISH CONSUL WAS IN TOWN

C. E. Wallerstedt and wife of Minneapolis were in the city. Mr. Wallerstedt is the Swedish consul. It is reported that many Swedes have applied to him for passports home. The consul was also at Benidji looking after interests of his countrymen.

Cooked in a Knapsack.

Charles XII. of Sweden invented the first portable military fireless cooker. He had a knapsack lined with hay to strap to a soldier's back. When starting on march a big chicken was split open and the inside dressed clean and then filled with butter. In the chicken was placed a small cannon ball of hot iron. The hot cooking chicken was then placed in the hay knapsack. When the camp was pitched at evening the meat was deliciously cooked and all soaking in butter.

BIG DANCE

AT LUM PARK

Tonight

Under New Management

Courteous Treatment and the Best of Service

Get a Cool Suit for the Remainder of the Summer at 1/4 the Old Price

We have made this deep cut in the prices of our cool summer suits, including Palm Beach and pinch back models, so that this stock will move quickly to buyers' hands. In this assortment you can easily find your size and the style you prefer.

ACT NOW

Don't Shun This Offer and Be Sorry

Other summer wearables at low prices. Tennis shoes, sport shirts, cool white hats and light underwear.

H. W. LINNEMANN

"CLOTHES OF QUALITY"

Corner Laurel and 7th Sts.

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Brainerd, Minnesota

WANTS

HELP WANTED

WANTED—Kitchen girls at Ideal hotel. 1188-441f

WANTED—Kitchen girl at the Ransford hotel. 1249-571f

WANTED—Dining room girl at West's Restaurant. 1205-471f

WANTED—Good girl for general housework. Phone 392-J. 865-2901f

WANTED—Six helpers, \$2.75 per day of nine hours at the foundry. 1137-511f

WANTED—Maid for general housework, neat young girl, 423 N. Holly. 1247-5613

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply to H. W. Linnemann at store. 1180-431f

WANTED—At once, kitchen girl at Depot Lunch Room. John Trautmann, Prop. 1251-5813

WANTED—at once delivery clerk who can run automobile. Koop Mercantile Co. 1240-551f

WANTED—Good girl for general housework, good wages. Apply 55 Bluff Ave., Mrs. K. H. Hoorn.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms at 215 4th Ave. N. E. 1231 541f

FOR RENT—Furnished sleeping room, 319 North Seventh Street. 1257-5813

FOR RENT—Light housekeeping flat and sleeping room. Mahlum block 236-5416

FOR RENT—3 or 4 rooms for light housekeeping. Address, W. Dispatch. 1241-551f

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Gas; bath. Pearce Block. 1220-511f

FOR RENT—Store room 212 South Seventh. Inquire Mrs. Lindner. Mahlum Block. 970-21f

FOR RENT—Two furnished sleeping rooms. Bath, electric light, telephone. 722 South Broadway.

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms, for light housekeeping, with bath and telephone, 206 Kingwood. 1237-541f

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Six desirable residence lots on Bluff Ave. Phone 539-J. 1235 541f

FOR SALE—Maxwell car in perfect condition. M. E. Hitch, Phone 26. 1250-5713p

FOR SALE—One 500 pound safe in A-1 condition. H. A. Kaatz, 205 Kindred St. 1256-5812

FOR SALE—Steam boiler for heating plant, also 15 or 20 thousand brick. Jones & Horton. 1229-531f

MOTORCYCLE FOR SALE CHEAP—Twin Indian. Albert O. Anderson. Dispatch, or see machine at 1023 Rosewood St. S. E. 1237-541f

FOR SALE—Confectionery store and 6 room dwelling at 1207 Oak St. Good location and good business. Inquire at premises. 1246-5616p

FOR SALE—1913 Buick, five-passenger touring car, guaranteed first class condition. Price reasonable, terms if desired. Woodhead Motor Co. 1141-361f

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Steel garage. Call 144. John Troutman. 1217-501f

FOUND—Pocket book containing money. Call at Dispatch office and pay. 1239-551f

LOST—On Gull lake road, end gate to auto trailer. Return to Dr. Beise for reward. 1228-531f

HORSES BOUGHT, sold or exchanged. Always have from 10 to 15 head on hand. Jones & Horton. 886-2931f

WANTED—To buy scrap iron. Bring in while prices high. Also all kinds junk. Jones & Horton. Hay Market. 761-2731f

HAVE YOUR TRUNK and baggage delivered by auto dray truck service. Headquarters Purity Ice Cream Co., 414 S. 6th street. Phones N. W. 727, Automatic 7046. Delos Turner. 856-288-1mo

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

Sold by druggists. Price 75c per bottle.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.—Adv. Apr.

CROWDER ISSUES STRICT ORDERS

Boards Must Reduce Discharges for Dependency.

TAKING UNFAIR ADVANTAGE

Provost Marshal General Says Large Number of Exemption Claims Filed Threaten to Interfere Seriously With Raising National Army.

Washington, Aug. 10.—Wholesale claims for exemption from the army draft, reported from many sections, caused Provost Marshal General Crowder to telegraph governors directing that local boards "reduce discharges for dependency to a far more restricted class and to very necessary and clearly defined circumstances."

In some districts as high as 80 per cent of the registrants called for examination are filing claims for discharge on the grounds of dependent relatives.

Such a condition indicates, General Crowder said, that unfair advantage is being taken of the regulations designed to protect men who properly should be exempted from military service and actually threatens to interfere seriously with the raising of the national army.

After detailing the large number of exemption claims filed and the effect of this, if not checked, the telegram to the governors says:

"It is true that cases of discharge on the ground of dependency are appealed to the district board, but this clause is only inserted to secure uniformity of action.

"District boards are to examine these cases to discover departures from the law, regulations and rulings, and they will not and cannot open every case on its merits."

ARMY ASSEMBLES SEPT. 1

Local Civilian Boards Will Call Men to Colors.

Washington, Aug. 10.—Regulations under which men of the national army will be called to the colors beginning Sept. 1 were issued by Provost Marshal General Crowder.

They map out in detail the whole program to be followed until every soldier of the selective draft has been accepted by the adjutant general of the training cantonment to which he is assigned.

The whole business of assembling the levies at entraining points, providing them with shelter, food and transportation and giving them their actual induction into military life is entrusted to the civilian local boards which selected them for service.

Until the men reach the camps they will not be in contact with uniformed officers.

The civilian control is carried forward through every stage of the draft to the very gates of the military camps where the making of soldiers—to be completed within sound of the guns in France—will begin.

HILL ESTATE \$52,888,510

Executor Petitions Court for Examination of Accounting.

St. Paul, Aug. 10.—The value of the estate of James J. Hill, who died May 29, 1916, was even greater than it was appraised.

Louis W. Hill, executor of the estate, in a petition for examination of his accounting up to July 24 of this year filed in probate court, places the aggregate gross value of the estate, real and personal property and the income received in the interim, at \$52,888,510.48.

After the payment of the funeral expenses and other charges there remained \$52,179,549.35, and of this amount \$39,082,611.63 already has been distributed to the heirs and \$92,499.88 paid as a further advance.

There also had been paid \$1,535,762.46 in inheritance and income taxes.

BAN IS PUT ON NEAR BEER

North Dakota Attorney General Issues Orders to Sheriffs.

Fargo, N. D., Aug. 10.—Orders by Attorney General Lanker of North Dakota to county sheriffs, requiring the latter to prosecute sellers of "near beer," have given rise to a question that is likely to reach the courts soon.

The products are banned by the attorney general because analysis made at the North Dakota agricultural college food department has revealed alcoholic contents to the extent of one-fifth of 1 per cent.

The attorney general holds that the finding of that much alcohol in the beverages brings them within the provisions of the North Dakota prohibition laws.

Butte Car Strike Settled.

Butte, Mont., Aug. 10.—The street car strike was settled at a conference between officials of the Butte Electric Street Railway company and its employees in the office of Mayor W. H. Maloney. Car service has been resumed.

MURRAY HULBERT.

New York Congressman Refuses to Run for Mayor.



Photo by Harris & Ewing.

Another man mentioned as Tammany candidate for the New York mayoralty has refused to enter the lists. Congressman Murray Hulbert finds himself too busy in Washington pushing his work for a huge American air fleet and other big matters to bother with mayoralty campaigns just now.

CITY MAY MINE ITS COAL

St. Louis Will Not Pay Present "Outrageous" Prices.

St. Louis, Aug. 10.—Rather than pay what they term "outrageous prices" for this winter's supply of coal for city institutions officials here are considering taking over several coal mines to be operated by the city.

A committee went to Belleville, Ill., to inspect mines there with an eye to contracting their whole output.

Taft Is Slowly Improving.

Clay Center, Kan., Aug. 10.—Physicians announced that former President William Howard Taft, who was taken ill here after a speaking engagement recently, was making satisfactory progress. However, they declared, it might be necessary for him to take a long rest.

RESULTS ON THE DIAMOND

National League.
New York 4, St. Louis 1.
Pittsburg 5, Philadelphia 1.
Brooklyn 5, Chicago 3.

American League.
Chicago 3, Washington 2.
Cleveland 5, New York 2.
St. Louis 2, Philadelphia 0.

American Association.
St. Paul 6, Kansas City 1, 3.
Louisville 10, Indianapolis 4.
Minneapolis 10, Milwaukee 0.
Columbus 5, 7; Toledo 2, 1.

GRAIN AND PROVISION PRICES

Duluth Wheat and Flax.
Duluth, Aug. 9.
Wheat—On track and to arrive, No. 1 Northern, \$2.90; No. 2 Northern, \$2.85. Flax—On track and to arrive, \$3.45.

St. Paul Grain.
St. Paul, Aug. 9.
Wheat—No. 1 Northern, \$3.00@3.05; No. 2 Northern, \$3.00@3.05; corn, \$2.25@2.27; oats, 68@69c; barley, \$1.10@1.45; rye, \$1.94@1.96; flax, \$3.47.

Minneapolis Grain.
Minneapolis, Aug. 9.
Wheat—Sept., \$2.26. Cash close on track: No. 1 Northern, \$3.00@3.05; No. 2 Northern, \$3.00@3.05; No. 3 Northern, \$2.90@3.00; No. 3 yellow corn, \$2.25@2.27; No. 3 white oats, 68@69c; flax, \$3.47.

South St. Paul Live Stock.
South St. Paul, Aug. 9.
Cattle—Receipts, 2,230; steers, \$5.25@10.50; cows and heifers, \$6.50@8.75; calves, \$6.00@11.50. Hogs—Receipts, 1,900; range, \$15.50@16.20. Sheep—Receipts, 320; lambs, \$8.00@14.00; ewes, \$4.00@8.50.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, Aug. 9.
Wheat—Sept., \$2.22. Corn—Dec., \$1.16½; May, \$1.13½. Oats—Sept., 59½c; Dec., 58½c; May, 61½c. Pork—Sept., \$42.60. Butter—Creameries, 38@39c. Eggs—31@32c. Poultry—Springs, 22@27c; fowls, 18@21½c.

St. Paul Hay.

St. Paul, Aug. 9.
Choice timothy, \$17.50; No. 1 timothy, \$17.00@17.25; No. 1 clover, mixed, \$16.50@17.25; No. 1 mixed, different grasses, \$16.00@16.75; No. 1 mixed, timothy and wild, \$16.00@16.75; choice upland, \$17.25; No. 1 upland, \$16.00@17.00; No. 1 midland, \$14.50@15.25; No. 1 alfalfa, \$20.00@20.75.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Aug. 9.
Cattle—Receipts, 3,000; steers, \$7.90@14.35; cows and heifers, \$4.40@12.00; calves, \$8.50@13.00. Hogs—Receipts, 17,000; light, \$15.10@16.70; mixed, \$15.35@16.75; heavy, \$15.00@16.80; rough, \$15.10@15.35; pigs, \$11.25@14.30. Sheep—Receipts, 8,000; native, \$7.50@10.80; lambs, \$9.25@14.70.

ALSACE-LORRAINE A PEACE FACTOR

Shall It Be Peace Without Victory or Without Conquest?

MUST LISTEN TO ALLIES

Since United States Has Become a Member of Entente Powers It Is Necessary to Abide in Part by Their Terms With Common Enemy—France to Insist on Restoration of Territory.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington, Aug. 10.—[Special.]—Peace talk continues among the officials in Washington both in and out of congress. This is true notwithstanding the apparent rejection of the implied terms of the central powers as voiced by Austria in a statement containing the phrase "peace without conquest."

There is quite a number of people in Washington who believe that President Wilson meant to say "peace without conquest" when he used the words "peace without victory." In case these phrases mean nearly the same thing it seems to be possible for peace negotiations to begin unless there is to be a redistribution of territory in Europe. Before our entrance into the war we could have disregarded the settlement of European boundary lines, but as an ally of the entente we will probably be bound to pay heed to the views of the other countries.

Alsace-Lorraine Looms Large.

The wisest men looking forward to possible peace negotiations are aware that Alsace-Lorraine is going to be a vital question in the determination of the war. France has already shown that she desires to have Alsace-Lorraine made a part of her country, as it was previous to 1870, and it is believed that England will support France. Just how far the United States will go in the support of that contention and whether our people will stand for a continuance of the war in order that France may reconquer the provinces which she lost in the war of 1870 are matters of mere speculation.

Whether we contend for "peace without victory" or "peace without conquest," it is quite likely that our people would be willing to see a settlement of the war by the restoration of Belgium, Serbia, the re-establishment of Poland and perhaps another Slav state out of what has been known as Austrian territory.

Big Money.

Of course since we have begun to talk about billions in a sort of off-hand manner big money talk does not seem to have any terror. At the same time the remark of a southern congressman the other day about a war debt of \$75,000,000,000 was rather staggering. He predicted this in addition to the billions that would be raised by taxation every year.

Foolish Talk.

A colonel of Canadian troops was recently quoted in Washington as saying, "England with the United States can lick the world." That remark can go under the head of foolish talk. Anybody who has kept up with the present war situation can see that what was true twenty or thirty years ago is not true now.

Sherman's Memento.

In discussing the river and harbor bill and speaking of the waves of enthusiasm of running into debt and spending money which passes over the communities at certain times Senator Sherman said that in 1827 Illinois voted a debt of \$14,000,000 for internal improvements, which was a particularly useless expenditure.

"I have an old certificate of that bond issue," said Senator Sherman, "finely engraved, with a vessel, full rigged, sailing down through the prairies of Illinois. It looks like an ocean going sailing vessel of the old days. It calls for one share of stock in the improvement association and is of no value whatever except as a memento."

The Endangered Constitution.

Nearly every measure that has been passed lately has endangered the constitution. We have the word of several eminent senatorial orators to that effect. The greatest defenders of the constitution at the present time are Senator Reed of Missouri and Senator Hardwick of Georgia. "We are passing through a time when every man who ventures to mention the constitution makes of himself a subject of ridicule," asserted Reed not long ago, and then he went on to point out how the constitution was being outraged by the legislation which was passed from time to time.

Would Not Relent.

Congressman Walsh of Massachusetts has been regularly objecting to extension of remarks by members of the house in the Congressional Record. He objected to such a request made by Congressman King of Illinois, and the latter said:

"I want to say that when the gentleman knows the subject perhaps he will withdraw his objection. It is on a subject with which I have no doubt the gentleman is entirely familiar, and that is the diastomatidty of elementary bodies, which is not volatile, but hypothetical."

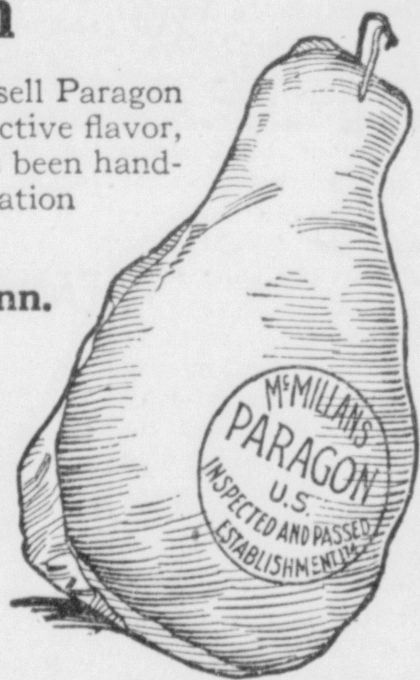
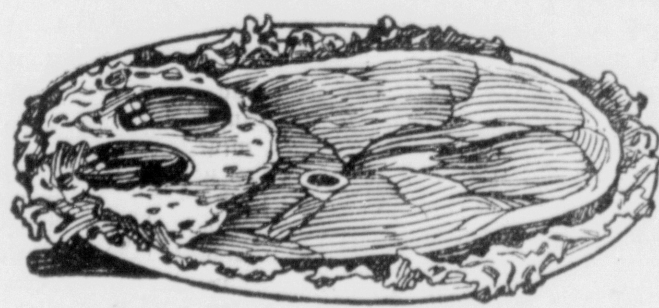
Even after that appeal Walsh would not relent.

McMillan's PORK PRODUCTS OF CHARACTER

Paragon Ham

THE better dealers of this community sell Paragon Ham for it has a delicious and distinctive flavor, secured by using a curing process which has been handed down in the McMillan family from generation to generation.

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SEIZING OF SHIPS WILL BEGIN SOON

Washington, Aug. 10.—Commandeering of American tonnage now on the sea will be begun by the shipping board, it was learned, as soon as an operating department can be organized and a practical shipping man can be found to head it.

The board has the names of several men under consideration and probably will make an announcement in a few days.

The board deems it unwise, it was said, to take over for operation any ships until a definite plan is formed and until it has an organization to handle the vessels.

Two plans are before the board. One calls for government operation of all ships requisitioned and the other for a system of commandeering charters.

Under the latter plan the vessels would be turned back to their owners for operation under direction of the board's operating department. The latter plan probably will be adopted.

FOOD CONTROL IN CANADA

Order Restricts Use of Beef, Bacon and White Bread.

Ottawa, Aug. 10.—Regulations for restricting the use of beef, bacon and white bread in public eating places and for prohibiting the use of wheat in the distillation or manufacture of alcohol have been promulgated by order in council at the instance of the food controller.

The serving of beef and bacon is prohibited on Tuesdays and Fridays and at more than one meal on any other day.

Substitutes, such as cornbread, oat cakes, potatoes, etc., must be provided at every meal at which white bread is served.

Arkansas Mob Hangs Negro.

Ashdown, Ark., Aug. 10.—Aaron Jimerson, a negro thirty years old, was taken from the jail at Foreman, sixteen miles west of Ashdown, and hanged to a telegraph pole by a mob. The negro was hanged because of an attack on Constable Sam Anderson when the officer attempted to place him in jail on a charge of assault with intent to kill for shooting at another negro.

Famous Virginia Lawyer Dies.

Richmond, Va., Aug. 10.—Thomas Nelson Carter, fifty-eight years old, one of Virginia's most distinguished lawyers and formerly law partner of Thomas Nelson Page, died here.

It Works! Try It

Tells how to loosen a sore, tender corn so it lifts out without pain.

Good news spreads rapidly and druggists here are kept busy dispensing freezone, the ether discovery of a Cincinnati man, which is said to loosen any corn so it lifts out with the fingers. Ask at any pharmacy for a quarter ounce of freezone, which will cost very little, but is said to be sufficient to rid one's feet of every hard or soft corn or callus.

You apply just a few drops on the tender, aching corn and instantly the soreness is relieved, and soon the corn is so arried that it lifts out without pain. It is a sticky substance which dries when applied and never inflames or even irritates the adjoining tissue.

This discovery will prevent thousands of deaths annually from lockjaw and infection heretofore resulting from the suicidal habit of cutting corns.

The Hunting Season Is Drawing Near

Are you ready? How is your gun? Your supply of Ammunition. Remember we are headquarters for all HUNTING SUPPLIES and will be pleased to quote you prices.

Slipp-Gruenhagen Co.

The Store of Dependable Hardware
N. W. 104 T. S. 332

Do Something Better Than the Other Fellow--- and ADVERTISE

Advertising cannot accomplish the impossible any more than barren ground can yield rich crop.

But how advertising does make things hum when the product and proposition are right, the men and methods above board, when there's an honest purpose and earnest effort from bundle boy to general manager to serve efficiency, to deal honestly, to sell good goods, to price fairly.

Oil up the machinery of your business, imbue your organization with the spirit of true service, make your business worthy of the good will, the confidence, the patronage of the people.

In this fertile field then sow the seed of advertising and it will bring forth abundant crops in increased business and augmented prestige.

Your store news in the Dispatch will be read in practically every home in Brainerd and vicinity every evening.

We Lose Money--You Lose Money

If You Don't Advertise in the Dispatch

Opportunities For Older Men

Because of the war many positions formerly filled by young men are open to older men. A man's kidneys may make him unfit for hard labor or clear thinking, may make him old before his time, for poisons retained in the system "slows him up" physically and mentally. Foley Kidney Pills tone up weak, disordered kidneys. H. P. Dunn, druggist.—Adv. mwf

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